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FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PREPARING AND TRANSMITTING ELECTRONIC
PROGRAM INFORMATION AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING ELECTRONIC
PROGRAM GUIDE FROM THE ELECTRONIC PROGRAM INFORMATION

Enclosed are:

[X] 159 pages of specification, claims, abstract
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[X] 43 sheets of formal drawing
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